

Title (en)

Electronic ballast with a digital control unit

Title (de)

Elektronisches Vorschaltgerät mit digitaler Steuereinheit

Title (fr)

Ballast électronique avec une unité de commande numérique

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Abstract (en)

The ballast has an equalization circuit (3) for generating an intermediate circuit voltage, and a power inverter supplied with the voltage. The circuit (3) has a switching regulator, and a control circuit (6) determines operating parameters of the circuit (3). The circuit (6) has an analog-to-digital converter for converting the parameters to a digital value. The circuit (6) calculates switching information and transmits the information to a driver circuit (7). The circuit (6) has an operating parameter of a load circuit (5) for regulating the brightness of a discharge lamp (LA).

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